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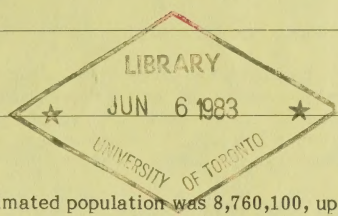


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POPULATION

On February 1, 1983 Ontario's estimated population was 8,760,100, up 1.1% from February 1982.

VITAL STATISTICS FOR FEBRUARY 1983

Births

- 10,998, slightly down, 0.1% from February last year.
- The 12 month rate, 14.5 per 1,000, increased from 14.1 the previous year.

Deaths

- 5,747 during February, a decrease of 1.8% from the same month a year ago.
- The annual rate per 1,000 remained at 7.3.

Natural Increase

- 5,251, a 1.7% increase over February 1982.
- The rate for the year ending February 1983 was up, 7.2 per 1,000, from 6.8 the previous year.

Marriages

- 2,232, down 1.7% from February last year.
- The 12 month rate increased to 8.1 per 1,000 from 7.8.

Divorces

- 1,499, down substantially, 25.1% from February a year ago.
- The annual rate dipped slightly to 2.7 from 2.8 per 1,000.

Vital Statistics for Ontario - Summary for February

Item	February			12 Months ending February						
	Number		%	Number		Rate per 1,000 Population				
	1983	1982		1983	1982	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979
Live Births	10,998	11,012	-0.1	126,525	121,526	14.5	14.1	14.6	14.6	14.3
Deaths	5,747	5,851	-1.8	64,073	62,927	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.2
Natural Increase	5,251	5,161	1.7	62,452	58,599	7.2	6.8	7.2	7.2	7.1
Marriages	2,232	2,270	-1.7	70,551	67,055	8.1	7.8	8.5	8.5	8.0
Divorces	1,499	2,000	-25.1	23,984	24,337	2.7	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.5

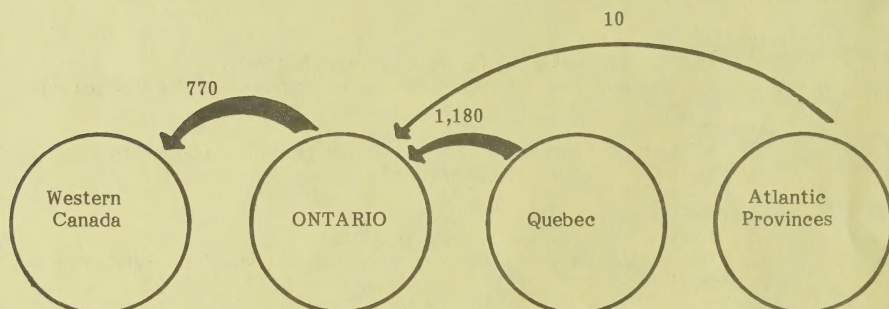
Source: Estimated by Statistical Services Branch, based on information from Registrar General, Ontario Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations and Statistics Canada.

- Ontario received 3,210 immigrants in January 1983, a decline of 5.0% from January last year (3,380).
- Total immigrants to Ontario (52,190) for the year ending January 1983 decreased 3.7% compared to the previous year (54,200).

INTERPROVINCIAL MIGRATION ESTIMATES FOR JANUARY 1983

- During January 1983, Ontario gained a net of 420 persons in the exchange with all other provinces.
- On a net basis, Ontario **gained** migrants from Quebec (1,180) and Newfoundland (30). Ontario **lost** migrants to Alberta (300), British Columbia (270), Manitoba (120), Saskatchewan (50), Yukon and Northwest Territories (30), and Nova Scotia (20).
- Ontario gained a net of 5,260 migrants during the year ending January 1983 compared to a net loss (19,570) in the previous year.

Population Exchange, Ontario and the Rest of Canada - Month of January 1983



Estimated Net Interprovincial Migration - January and 12 Months Ending January, 1983

Between Ontario and	January, 1983			12 Months ending January, 1983		
	Children	Drivers	Total	Children	Drivers	Total
Newfoundland	10	20	30	190	400	600
Prince Edward Island	-	-	-	-	70	70
Nova Scotia	10	-30	-20	90	20	110
New Brunswick	-	-	-	40	440	480
Quebec	280	890	1,180	3,820	9,790	13,610
Manitoba	-40	-80	-120	-240	-680	-920
Saskatchewan	-	-50	-50	70	-450	-390
Alberta	-110	-190	-300	-1,490	-3,540	-5,030
British Columbia	-	-270	-270	80	-2,970	-2,890
Yukon and N. W. Territories	-	-30	-30	-40	-330	-370
TOTAL	150	270	420	2,510	2,750	5,260

Note: Figures may not add due to rounding.

Source: Estimated by Statistical Services Branch, based on information from Canada Department of Health and Welfare, Transfer of Family Allowance Accounts and Ontario Ministry of Transportation and Communications, Driver's Change of Address, preliminary estimates. These two sets of data represent two different statistical populations, which approximate the total population.